UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA

In re: Baycol Products Litigation

MDL No. 01-md-1431 MJD Case No. 08-cv-5758 (MJD/ECW)

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA ex rel. LAURIE SIMPSON,

Plaintiff,

v. **ORDER**

BAYER HEALTHCARE PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.; BAYER CORP.; and BAYER A.G.,

Defendants.	

This case is before the Court on the Joint Stipulation to Modify Amended Scheduling Order Pursuant to L.R. 16.3 (Dkt. 217). Having considered the Stipulation and for good cause shown, **IT IS ORDERED** that the Scheduling Order is modified as follow:

1. Pleadings and Disclosures

Current: May 13, 2020 Amended: October 11, 2020

All motions which seek to amend the pleadings to add parties or claims must be served and filed on or before this date, and shall include a redlined version reflecting the changes contained in the proposed amended pleading. This deadline does not apply to motions which seek to amend the complaint to add a claim for punitive damages.

2. Discovery and Nondispositive Motions

Current: April 29, 2020 Amended: September 28, 2020

All fact discovery any kind shall be commenced in time to be completed by this date.

Current: May 29, 2020 Amended: October 26, 2020

The identity of expert witnesses must be disclosed in accordance with Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a)(2)(A) by this date.

Current: June 26, 2020 Amended: November 23 2020

The written reports of expert witnesses must be served in accordance with Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a)(2)(A) (B) by this date.

Current: June 26, 2020 Amended: November 23, 2020

The identity of rebuttal expert witnesses must be disclosed in accordance with Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a)(2)(A) by this date.

Current: August 7, 2020 Amended: January 4, 2021

The written reports of rebuttal expert witnesses must be served in accordance with Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a)(2)(B) by this date.

Current: September 7, 2020 Amended: February 4, 2021

The identity and written reporters of further rebuttal witnesses must be served in accordance with Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a)(2)(A) and (B) by this date.

Current: October 30, 2020 Amended: March 28, 2021

All expert discovery including expert depositions shall be commenced in time to be completed by this date.

Current: November 30, 2020 Amended: April 29, 2021

All non-dispositive motions and supporting pleadings (notice of motion, motion, affidavits, exhibits, memorandum of law, and proposed order), including those which relate to fact and expert discovery and any request for extension of this Pretrial Scheduling Order, shall be served, filed and HEARD by this date. Prior to scheduling any non-dispositive motion and following the conference required by Fed. R. Civ. P. 37(a)(1) and L.R. 37.1.

3. <u>Dispositive Motions and Trial</u>

Current: December 30, 2020 Amended: May 31, 2021

All dispositive motions shall be filed by the moving party by this date.

Current: April 30, 2021 Amended: September 27, 2021

This matter will be ready for a JURY trial by this date. The parties estimate they will need 10 days for trial.

Dated: March 19, 2020

<u>s/Elizabeth Cowan Wright</u>
ELIZABETH COWAN WRIGHT
United States Magistrate Judge